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Sir:

On page 4, of the Office Action mailed March 31, 2005 the Office Action stated that "The title of the invention is not descriptive. A new title is required that is clearly indicative of the The Office Action suggested the title invention to which the claims are directed." "MULTISTANDARD DISCRETE MULTI-TONE (DMT) DIGITAL SUBSCRIBER LINE (DSL) SYSTEM."

In the Amendment mailed to the Patent Office on August 30, 2005, the title of the application was amended to read MULTISTANDARD DISCRETE MULTI-TONE (DMT) DIGITAL SUBSCRIBER LINE (DSL) SYSTEM. Applicants respectfully request that the title be changed prior to the printing of the issued patent.

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